

## EXHIBIT "A"



PTAS

MAY 12, 2000

LAW OFFICES OF MICHAEL DRYJA  
 MICHAEL DRYJA  
 704 228TH AVE NE PMB 694  
 REDMOND, WA 98053

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 Patent and Trademark Office  
 ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND COMMISSIONER  
 OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
 Washington, D.C. 20231



\*101292405A\*

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
 NOTICE OF RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT DOCUMENT

THE ENCLOSED DOCUMENT HAS BEEN RECORDED BY THE ASSIGNMENT DIVISION OF THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE. A COMPLETE MICROFILM COPY IS AVAILABLE AT THE ASSIGNMENT SEARCH ROOM ON THE REEL AND FRAME NUMBER REFERENCED BELOW.

PLEASE REVIEW ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THIS NOTICE. THE INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THIS RECORDATION NOTICE REFLECTS THE DATA PRESENT IN THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT SYSTEM. IF YOU SHOULD FIND ANY ERRORS OR HAVE QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS NOTICE, YOU MAY CONTACT THE EMPLOYEE WHOSE NAME APPEARS ON THIS NOTICE AT 703-308-9723. PLEASE SEND REQUEST FOR CORRECTION TO: U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE, ASSIGNMENT DIVISION, BOX ASSIGNMENTS, CG-4, 1213 JEFFERSON DAVIS HWY, SUITE 320, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231.

RECORDATION DATE: 02/18/2000

REEL/FRAME: 010615/0197  
 NUMBER OF PAGES: 2

BRIEF: ASSIGNMENT OF ASSIGNOR'S INTEREST (SEE DOCUMENT FOR DETAILS).

## ASSIGNOR:

JUSTER, DORON

DOC DATE: 01/04/2000

## ASSIGNEE:

MICROSOFT CORP.  
 ONE MICROSOFT WAY  
 REDMOND, WASHINGTON 98052

SERIAL NUMBER: 09461487  
 PATENT NUMBER:

FILING DATE: 12/14/1999  
 ISSUE DATE:

STEVEN POST, EXAMINER  
 ASSIGNMENT DIVISION  
 OFFICE OF PUBLIC RECORDS

03-22-2000

Docket No. 1018.076US1

Form PTO-1595 (Modified)  
(Rev. 6-93)

OMB 0651-0011 (exp. 4/94)

M/R  
2/18/00RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET  
PATENTS ONLYU.S. Department of Commerce  
Patent and Trademark Office

FEB 18 PATENT

TO: The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original document(s) or copy(ies).

## 1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Doron Juster

## 2. Nature of Conveyance:

Assignment       Security Agreement  
 License       Change of Name  
 Merger       Other

Execution Date: 1/4/2000

## 3. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Microsoft Corp.Address: One Microsoft WayCity: RedmondState: WACountry: USAZIP: 98052

## 4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: \_\_\_\_\_

Patent Application No.

Patent No.(s)

09/461,487

## 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Michael DryjaRegistration No.: 39,662Address: Law Offices of Michael Dryja  
704 228<sup>th</sup> Ave NE PMB 694City: RedmondState: WACountry: USAZIP: 98053Telephone: 425-427-50946. Total number of applications and patents involved: 17. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00 Enclosed Authorized to be charged to deposit account

## 8. Deposit account number:

500463

03/21/2000 INVENTOR 00000142 500463 09461487

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

31 FEB 2001 40.00 CM

## 9. Statement and Signature

*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*Michael Dryja  
Name of Person Signing

Signature

2-14-00

Date

Attorney Docket No. 1018.076US1

**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, Doron Juster (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), am the sole inventor of an invention entitled Non-Delegable Client Requests to Servers Storing Local Information Only as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent as filed on 12/14/1999, as assigned Serial No. 09/461,487;

WHEREAS, Microsoft Corporation (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business at One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR agrees to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name on the day and year set forth below.

do  
Inventor's Signature

DATE

1/4/2000Doron Juster  
Inventor's Printed NameSTATE OF      )  
COUNTY OF      )  
    ) ss

On this 4 day of JAN 2000, before me personally came the above named Doron Juster who is personally known by me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.

Anat Levy - Bar  
WITNESS NAMEAC  
WITNESS SIGNATURE